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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Eiji MARAMATSU et al.

Application No. 10/577,227

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INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM, INFORMATION RECORDING  
DEVICE AND METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM

**FURTHER PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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June 23, 2006

Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this  
paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.